DISTRICT COURT OF THE VIRGIN ISLANDS DIVISION OF ST. THOMAS AND ST. JOHN

IN RE:)
WINGROVE LLEWELYN RICHARDS, Debtor.)) Chapter 7) Case No. 3-02-00035 (MFW))
WINGROVE LLEWELYN RICHARDS, Plaintiff/Appellant,)))
v.) D.C. App. Civ. No. 2016-41)
BANK OF NOVA SCOTIA; STRYKER, DUENSING, CASNER, DOLLISON; LAWYER'S TITLE INSURANCE COMPANY,))))
Defendant/Appellee.) _)

ATTORNEYS:

Wingrove Llewelyn Richards

Pro se plaintiff/appellant,

Carol Ann Rich

Matthew J. Duensing

ORDER

GÓMEZ, J.

Before the Court is the Report and Recommendation of the Magistrate Judge recommending that the Court (1) deny the

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petition of Wingrove Llewelyn Richards to proceed *in forma* pauperis; and (2) affirm the May 18, 2016, order of the Bankruptcy Court.

Upon de novo review of the record, the Court agrees with the Magistrate's Report and Recommendation.

The premises considered, it is hereby

ORDERED that the Report and Recommendation of the Magistrate Judge is ADOPTED; it is further

ORDERED that the petition of Wingrove Llewelyn Richards to proceed in forma pauperis is DENIED; it is further

ORDERED that the May 18, 2016, order of the Bankruptcy Court is AFFIRMED; and it is further

 $\ensuremath{\mathsf{ORDERED}}$ that the Clerk of the Court shall $\ensuremath{\mathsf{CLOSE}}$ this matter.

S_____CURTIS V. GÓMEZ District Judge